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15 August 1978

Mr. Michael J. O'Neil  
Permanent Select Committee  
on Intelligence  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

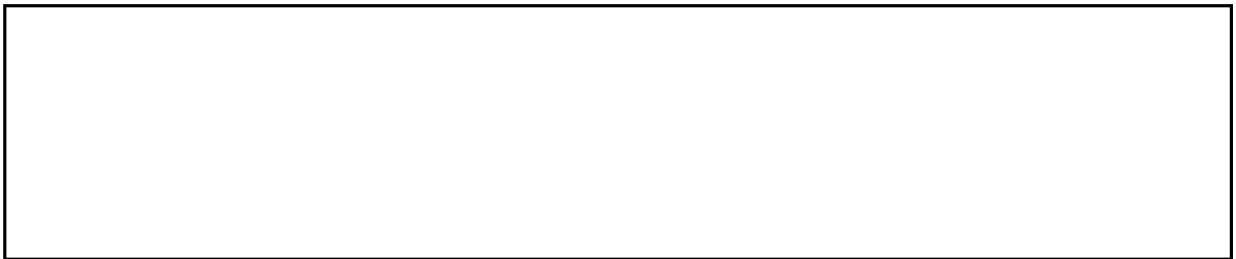
Dear Mike:

I am returning your copy of the transcript of the 19 June 1978 briefing of the Subcommittee on Oversight on the 7 June 1978 Presidential Finding. You will note that several small corrections have been made (marked in ink and flagged with a paper clip).

There are also some more significant changes we recommend. They are as follows:

(1) Page 13 - The House International Relations Committee was briefed on 2 August 1978 and apparently has not deferred to the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. I have placed brackets around the words that we would recommend deleting.

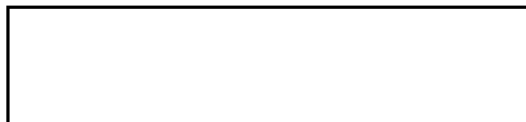
(2) Page 30 - At the carrot on mid-page, we would like to insert: "Our current plan is to acknowledge that U.S. Government funds are involved."



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Please let me know if any of these requested changes cannot be accommodated. Thanks in advance.

Sincerely,



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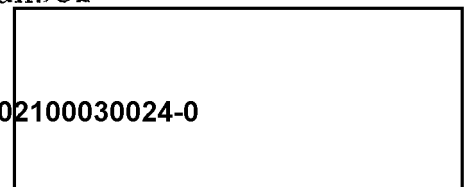
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*Briefing*

OLC 78-3006  
15 August 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: Frederick P. Hitz  
Legislative Counsel

FROM:

[REDACTED]  
Assistant Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT:

Congressional Request for Briefing

1. I received a telephone call from Mr. [REDACTED] a staff person with the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, Subcommittee on the Coast Guard.

2. [REDACTED] had received my name from Mr. David Perkins on Congressman Wolff's staff. Perkins had told him that I had put together a good briefing (actually it was a hearing) on Narcotics for Wolff's Committee. [REDACTED] is interested in receiving such a briefing, as his Subcommittee is concerned with strengthening the power of the U.S. Coast Guard vis-a-vis interdiction of narcotics on the high seas, particularly in the Caribbean area.

3. In particular, [REDACTED] and Lawrence G. Mallon, also of the Subcommittee, would like to receive a briefing from [REDACTED] DDO/Narcotics staff, on the general topic of traffickers, shipping routes utilized and the like.

4. Assuming you approve of the same, we would have to be rather careful with what information we provide as their ultimate intent is to publish a report in one form or another which will argue for increased funds/authority for the Coast Guard in this area.

5. Recommendation: That we provide the briefing, first acquiring temporary security clearance for the two staffers [REDACTED] with the caveat that we will have the right of censorship over anything written which might utilize the information provided in the briefing. They are in a bit of a hurry as the hearings have concluded and they are swiftly approaching report writing time.

6. FYI: Members of the Subcommittee include:

Mario Biaggi (D., N.Y.)	David Treen (R., La.)
Walter Jones (D., N. Car.)	Gene Snyder (R., Ky.)
E. de la Garza (D., Tex.)	Joel Pritchard (R., Wash.)
Gerry Studds (D., Mass.)	Don Young (R., Alaska)
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